

Offer Index for Middle Tennessee Fy 2002 (2002 Farm Bill Rules)

Highest to Lowest Environmental Points

Row #	PRAC. CODE	CONSERVATION PRACTICE	MODIFIER	UNITS	EST. AVG. UNIT COST	Environmental Points Per Practice (under 2002 Farm Bill rules)
2	312	Waste Man System	within 300 feet of water conveyance	animal unit	\$ 375	1,000
13	391	Riparian Forest Buff		acre	\$ 118	750
3	312	Waste Man System	greater than 300 ft. from water conveyance	animal unit	\$ 350	750
9	393	Filter Strip		acre	\$ 50	600
5	332	Contour Buffer Strips		acre	\$ 150	500
6	342	Critical Area Planting		acre	\$ 1,150	500
7	362	Diversion		foot	\$ 2	500
8	386	Field Border		acre	\$ 50	500
10	410	Grade Stab Struct		structure	\$ 900	500
11	412	Grass Waterway		foot	\$ 1	500
29	528A	Prescribed Grazing	Includes 590 & 595, \$15 incentive payment per year for three years, lime by soil test, minimum 5 paddocks, balance forage by graze program, graze no lower than minimum grazing height on more than 20% of the acres at any one time. (max. 100 ac for payment)	acre	\$ 60	500
17	600	Terrace		foot	\$ 1	500
1	317	Waste Man System	Chicken or swine composter and or litter storage (max \$15,000 EQIP)	animal unit	\$ 350	500
18	638	Water/Sed Control		structure	\$ 625	500
19	351	Well Decommission		well	\$ 300	500
21	382	Fencing (cross or use exclusion)	High tensile, barb or woven	foot	\$ 0	300
12	561	Heavy Use Area Prot		sq. yd.	\$ 5	250
14	576	Stream Crossing		crossing	\$ 1,250	250
15	580	Stream/Shore Prot		foot	\$ 28	250
20	612	Tree/Shrub Establish		acre	\$ 118	250
30	574	Spring Development		spring	\$ 350	100
31	614	Trough/Tank	serves more than one field	tank	\$ 775	100
27	516	Pipeline		foot	\$ 1	75
22	512	Past/Hay Planting	all fields, WARM SEASON GRASS (does not include cost for seedbed prep. or seeding)	acre	\$ 80	50
28	378	Pond		pond	\$ 750	50
16	447	Tailwater Recovery System	NOT A POND. (This practice is for irrigated recycled nutrients and pesticides. Not for plants planted in the ground.)	drainage area in acres of plants	\$3,000 per acre	50
32	614	Trough/Tank	serves one field	tank	\$ 775	50
23	512	Past/Hay Planting	HEL field (does not include cost for seedbed prep. or seeding)	acre	\$ 50	30
4	590	Nutrient Management	Phosphorous based plan for applying animal waste. \$10.00 Incentive payment per acre. Max 100 acres	ac	\$ 15	25
24	512	Past/Hay Planting	non-HEL (non-highly erodible land) (does not include cost for seedbed prep. or seeding)	acre	\$ 50	10
25	512	Past/Hay Plantng (Renovation)	Renovation on HEL land (does not include cost for seedbed prep. or seeding)	acre	\$ 60	5
26	512	Past/Hay Planting (Renovation)	Renovation on NHEL land (does not include cost for seedbed prep. or seeding)	acre	\$ 60	1

Utilize the cost figures listed in this table or use the producers actual cost when available.

Prescribed Grazing Requirments Are As Follows:

1. Balance forage with livestock needs.
2. Utilize a minimum of 5 paddocks
3. Lime by soil test.
4. Add N, P, K according to forage yield needs. (addition of N, P, or K is not required for soil test only forage yield needs).
5. 100 acre maximum for payment.
6. \$15.00 per acre incentive payment for three years.
7. Control pests by Pest Mgmt Plan (mowing is acceptable).